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**NOTICE OF INTENT TO ADOPT A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION**

April 25, 2013

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the County of San Diego is proposing to adopt Negative Declaration(s) in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act for the following project(s). The proposed Negative Declaration can be reviewed on the World Wide Web at [http://www.sdcountry.ca.gov/pds/ceqa\\_public\\_review.html](http://www.sdcountry.ca.gov/pds/ceqa_public_review.html), at Planning & Development Services (PDS), Project Processing Counter, 5510 Overland Avenue, Suite 110, San Diego, California 92123 and the public library listed below. Comments on this proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration must be sent to the PDS address listed above and should reference the project number and name.

**PDS2012-3300-12-004, PDS2012-3910-12-12-001, OCOTILLO WELLS SOLAR MAJOR USE PERMIT.** The project is a Major Use Permit to authorize the construction and operation of an approximately 336-acre solar energy system on an approximately 440-acre site. The project is located east of Split Mountain Road and adjacent to Imperial County in the Ocotillo Wells area within the Desert Subregional Plan Area within the unincorporated area of San Diego County (APN 253-390-57, 58). Comments on this proposed Negative Declaration must be received no later than **May 24, 2013 at 4:00 p.m.** (a 30 day public review period). This proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration can also be reviewed at the Borrego Springs Library, located at 587 Palm Canyon Dr., Suite 125, Borrego Springs, CA 92004. For additional information, please contact Ashley Gungle at (858) 495-5375 or by e-mail at [ashley.gungle@sdcounty.ca.gov](mailto:ashley.gungle@sdcounty.ca.gov).